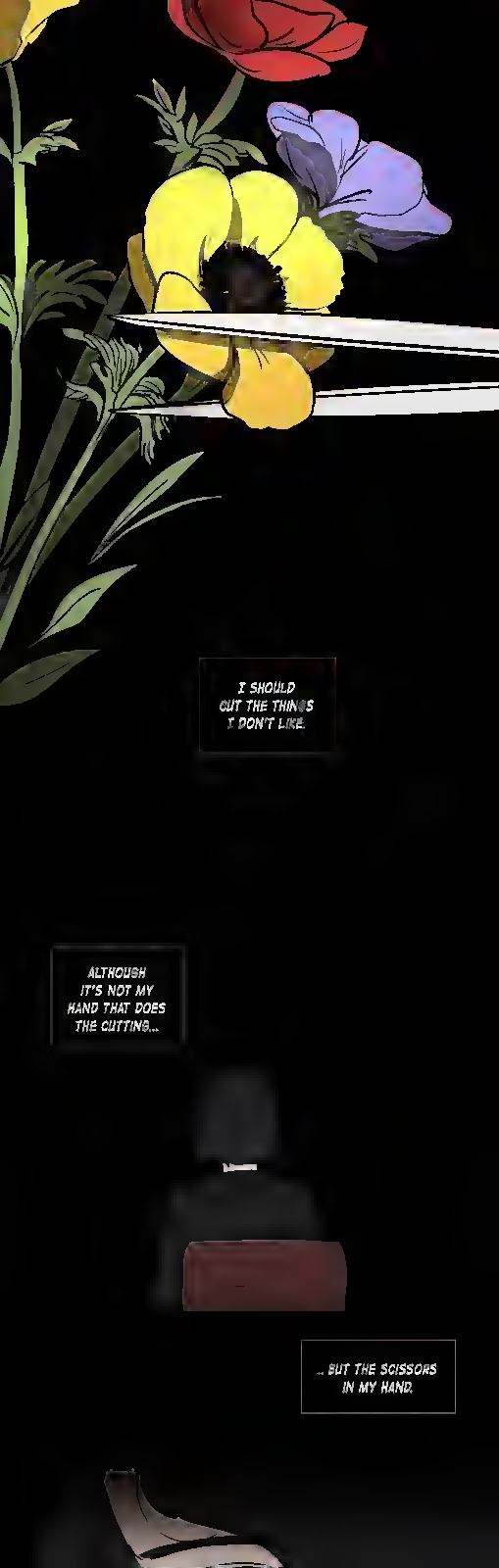

I SHOULD CUT THE THINGS I DON'T LIKE.
ALTHOUGH IT'S NOT MY HAND THAT DOES THE CUTTING...
... BUT THE SCISSORS IN MY HAND.

WHATEVER IT IS, SO THAT IT DOESN'T HAVE ANY CHANCE OF EVER GROWING BACK AGAIN.

WITHOUT ANY FURTHER TROUBLE.

...NICE AND CLEAN.

BUT...WHY

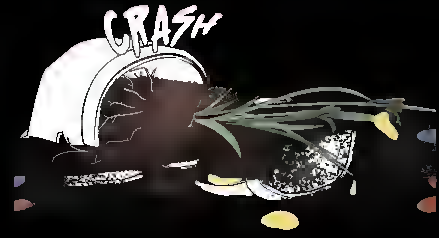
YOUR BREAK IS IN LESS THAN A WEEK, RIGHT?

IT'S IN A WEEK. WHY?
GOOD
I THOUGHT IT'D BE GOOD FOR YOU TO GO ON A TRAINING PROGRAM BEFORE YOU GO STUDY ABROAD SO I'VE MADE THE A. RANGEMENT.
YOU DO KNOW THAT IT'S VERY IMPORTANT FOR YOU TO PAVE YOUR WAY RIGHT?
YOU SHOULD GET THINGS READY SO YOU CAN LEAVE AS SOON AS YOUR BREAK STARTS
WHAT...?

WHY...IS THE BLADE GETTING DULL AT THE MOST IMPORTANT TIME...?
TLOP
WHY?
HA...
TSK...

HEO YEONJU
WHY DID YOU MAKE THAT DECISION?
BECAUSE FOR ME IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY
I DIDN'T WANT TO MISS IT
.....

THIS IS ABSURD...



NOTHING IS GOING THE WAY I PLANNED..

Serenade

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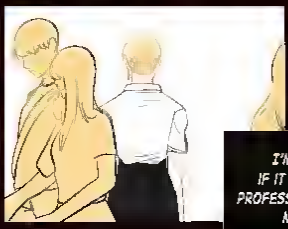
SURPRISINGLY ENOUGH, I DIDN'T SEE HEE-EUN UNNIE SINCE THAT DAY.

..BUT I DID SEE PROFESSOR QUITE OFTEN.

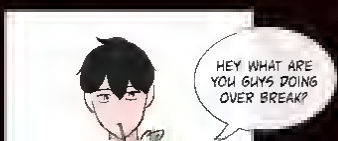


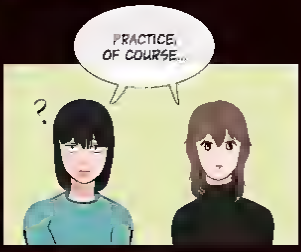
I'M NOT SURE IF IT WAS BECAUSE PROFESSOR WAS AROUND ME A LOT..

..OR IF I WAS SIMPLY AWARE OF PROFESSOR

OR IF IT WAS BOTH..

MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE THE SEMESTER HAS ENDED. I SURE DON'T SEE A LOT OF PEOPLE AROUND SCHOOL
I KNOW, RIGHT?


HEY WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING OVER BREAK?


PRACTICE, OF COURSE...
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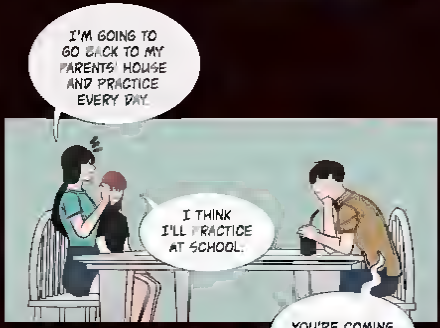
NICE...
EVEN... DURING BREAK?

THE CONCOURS IS RIGHT AT THE START OF NEXT SEMESTER, YOU KNOW?
BUT THAT'S IN TWO MONTHS...
EXACTLY THERE'S NO TIME TO LOSE!


I'M GOING TO GO BACK TO MY PARENTS' HOUSE AND PRACTICE EVERY DAY.
I THINK I'LL PRACTICE AT SCHOOL.
YOU'RE COMING

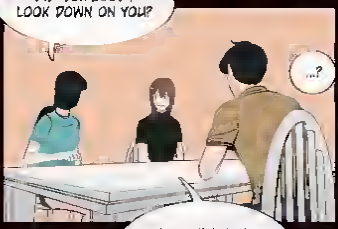
TO SCHOOL?

GOOD IDEA. LET'S MAKE UP FOR OUR MISTAKES FROM LAST TIME.

RIGHT! I'M GOING TO WORK HARD SO I WON'T GET LOOKED DOWN UPON.

LOOKED DOWN?

DID SOMEBODY LOOK DOWN ON YOU?



WELL, I'M SURE THERE'S AT LEAST ONE PERSON, RIGHT?

OH...

I SHOULD GET GOING NOW.

YOU'RE GOING TO PRACTICE AGAIN?
YEAH.

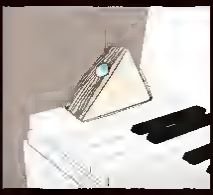
WHAT ABOUT DINNER?
OH, I ALREADY BOUGHT SOMETHING EARLIER SO I CAN EAT IT WHILE I'M PRACTICING!

ALRIGHT THEN, WORK HARD! HAVE A GOOD BREAK!
YEAH~ YOU TOO~

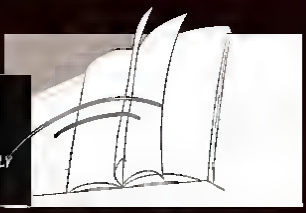
YEONJU.. DO YOU THINK SHE'LL REALLY COME TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY?

I WOULD BE SURPRISED IF SHE DIDN'T.

I'M GOING TO BECOME SOMEONE WHO'S MORE FIT TO BE HER STUDENT THAN UNNIE



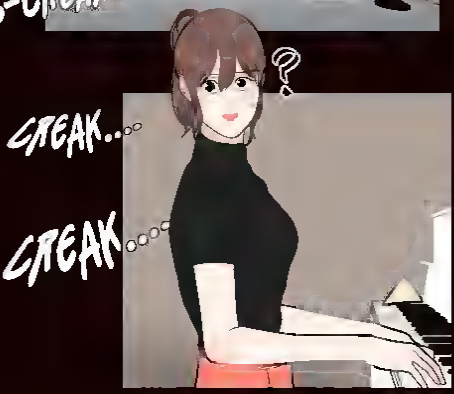
SO THAT BOTH PROFESSOR AND I WON'T REGRET OVER MY DECISION



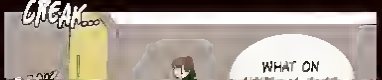
I'M NOT GOING TO BE SCARED I'M GOING TO TRY EVEN HARDER AND DEFINITELY PROVE MYSELF.

ALRIGHT...

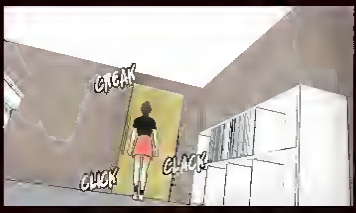
CREAK...



WHAT IS THAT.. ALL OF A SUDDEN...?



EARTH IS THAT SOUND..?
CLICK!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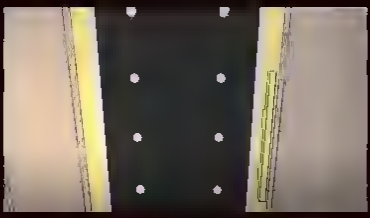
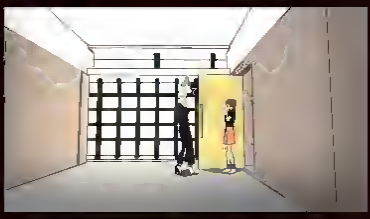
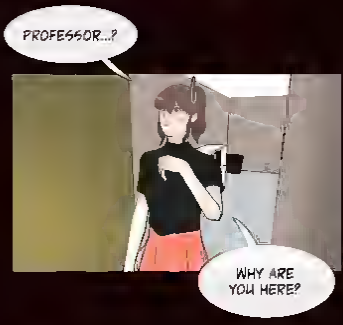
CLICK!



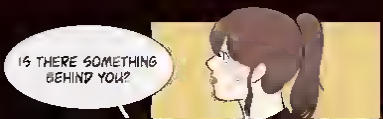
OH MY..

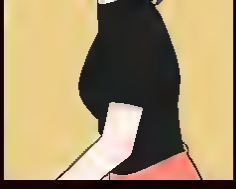


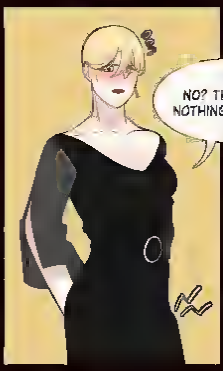

PROFESSOR...?
WHY ARE YOU HERE?

...OH. WELL...

HM...?


IS THERE SOMETHING BEHIND YOU?




NO? THERE'S NOTHING THERE.

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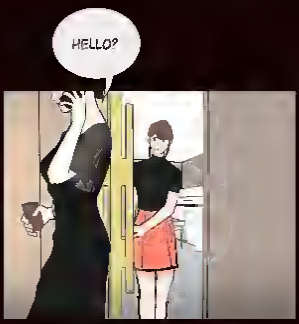
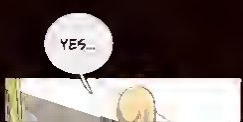
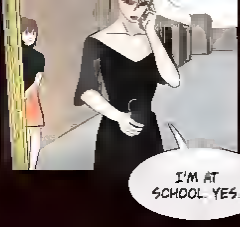
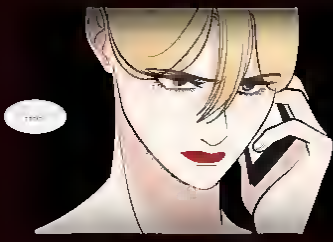

HELLO?


YES...


I'M AT SCHOOL. YES.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NO, PLEASE LET THEM KNOW THAT I WON'T BE COMING.
SHE'S ONLY LEAVING FOR A SHORT WHILE. WHY...
I'LL SEE HER AGAIN IN TWO MONTHS ANYWAY...

FATHER... I HAVE MY OWN SCHEDULE...
PLEASE TELL HER TO STUDY HARD FROM ME

IN PERSON? OH I'LL CALL HER LATER THEN YES.. GOOD-BYE
...?

TAK
SIGH...

PROFESSOR...
HM?

IN YOUR HAND...
WERE YOU TRYING TO HIDE THE COFFEE?

OH...

OH! IT WAS FOR ME?
I DON'T KNOW. JUST DRINK IT
...THANK YOU SO MUCH!

BUT YOU DIDN'T COME ALL THE WAY OVER HERE JUST TO GIVE ME THIS, RIGHT...?
NO...

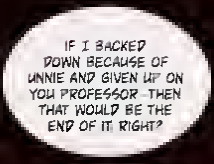
I WAS... JUST BOTHERED. SO I THOUGHT I'D ASK...
ABOUT WHAT?
WHETHER PARK HEE-EUN... HARMED YOU AGAIN IN ANY WAY...
OH...NO, NOTHING HAPPEN...

DO YOU REGRET IT PROFESSOR? THAT I DECIDED TO STAY AS YOUR STUDENT?
I TOLD YOU. YOU KNOW HOW SHE IS.
IT'S NOT REGRET... I'M JUST WORRIED.
.....
ALL THE THINGS YOU TOLD ME BACK THEN, PROFESSOR...NO MATTER HOW MUCH I THOUGHT ABOUT IT, NOTHING CHANGED.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
APART FROM THE KIND OF PERSON SHE IS...GIVING UP ON YOU PROFESSOR JUST BECAUSE OF WINNIE...

...IT'S JUST TOO UNREASONABLE.
.....

THAT'S WHAT I TOLD HER TOO I TOLD UNNIE THAT SHE WAS BEING PETTY
YOU...SAID THAT MUCH?

YES I WAS SO ANGRY
...
SHE'S JUST SO STUBBORN!

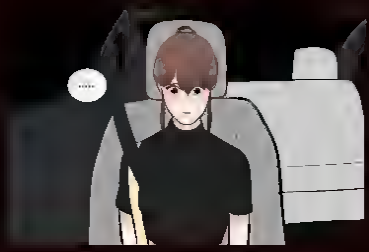

IF I BACKED DOWN BECAUSE OF UNNIE AND GIVEN UP ON YOU PROFESSOR -THEN THAT WOULD BE THE END OF IT RIGHT?

THEN I WOULD'VE REGRETTED IT EVERY DAY...
HONESTLY IT'S NOT THAT I'M NOT SCARED OF UNNIE, BUT...
THIS IS STILL BETTER THAN NOT BEING ABLE TO DO ANYTHING AND REGRETTING IT LATER
SO I DECIDED NOT TO BE AFRAID
AFTER ALL THEY SAY THAT YOU SHOULD CREATE YOUR OWN OPPORTUNITIES RIGHT ?
OPPORTUNITY...
RIGHT.

HEO YEONJU, HAVE YOU EATEN?

!!?
HUH? EAT?

NO, NOT YET...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UM. WHERE ARE WE GOING RIGHT NOW?
TO EAT DINNER
IT MUST BE SOMEWHERE VERY FAR.. WHAT KIND OF A PLACE IS IT...?
SOMEWHERE MUCH BETTER THAN THE GUKBAP PLACE LAST TIME.
AND THEY DEFINITELY WON'T JUST TAKE CASH

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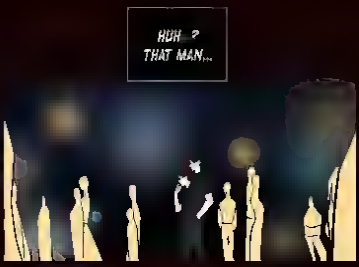
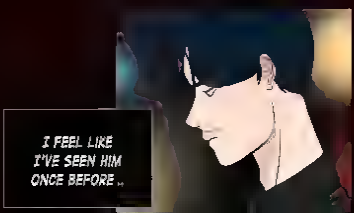
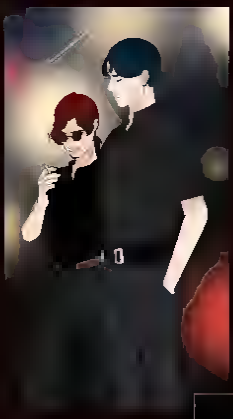

HUH...?
THAT MAN...

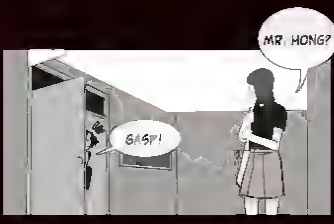

I FEEL LIKE
I'VE SEEN HIM
ONCE BEFORE..

I'VE SEEN HIM SOMEWHERE...

AND THE MAN NEXT TO HIM, WITH THE SUNGLASSES ..



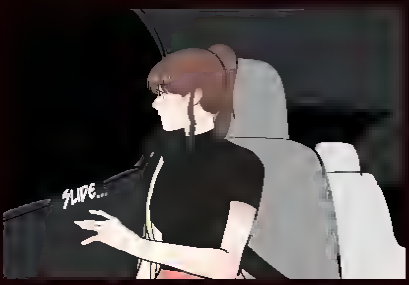
...ISN'T THAT MR. HONG?



BUT HIS STYLE IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT...

S-SURE...

IS IT SOMEONE WHO LOOKS SIMILAR...?



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